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OFFICERS MONTANA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD

BOARD MEMBERS

D. R. Wallace, Chairman John W. Corwin Carl H. Rippel

ADMINSTRATIVE

J. A. Buley, Administrator
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AUDITS AND ACCOUNTS
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TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

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ENFORCEMENT
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WAREHOUSE Leo V. Kroetch, Superintendent

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

TO HIS EXCELLENCY, SAM C. FORD,
Governor of the State of Montana

THE HONORABLE SAM W. MITCHELL, Secretary of State

THE HONORABLE R. V. BOTTOMLY,
Attorney General, and

THE HONORABLE W. A. BROWN, State Examiner,

As provided by the laws of the State of Montana, the Montana Liquor Control Board submits its annual report for the period

Beginning January 1, 1944 And Ending December 31, 1944

This report reflects the results of operations for that period.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. BULEY,

State Liquor Administrator and Ex-Officio Secretary of the Montana Liquor Control Board.

GENERAL REVIEW

THE MONTANA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD came into being with the passage of the Liquor Control Act by the 1933 Legislature.

The general powers and objectives of the Board may be summarized by a quotation from the introduction to the Act as follows: "To limit, regulate and license the manufacture and sale of any and all liquors or beverages that may be manufactured, sold or dispensed in the State of Montana."

The Act of 1933 provided only for the operation of State-controlled liquor stores. The 1937 Legislature passed the Montana Retail Liquor Act which "authorized, empowered and directed the Control Board to issue retail liquor licenses to persons qualified under the Act to sell liquor at retail."

The 1937 Retail Liquor Act legalized the operation of bars and taverns, authorizing such establishments to sell by the drink liquor purchased by them at State Liquor Stores at the retail posted price. Under this provision the bars or taverns pay the same price for stock as any individual purchasing one pint.

ADMINISTRATION

Operations of the Board are coordinated through control by the central office of all units of the organization. The Administrator, as Ex-Officio Secretary of the Board, is charged with full responsibility for carrying out the wishes of the Board.

AUDITS AND ACCOUNTS

The Chief Accountant is responsible for the accounting and bookkeeping methods of the entire organization. The State Examiner's office performs all auditing of the entire organization. Field men employed by the Examiner make regular monthly audits of all stores and a yearly audit is made of the Helena office and warehouse.

PURCHASING

Purchase orders are mailed direct to the distillery or winery. Routing of all orders is made by the traffic manager and every effort is made to equalize incoming freight between the various railroads.

WAREHOUSING

Stocks of whiskies and wines are stored in the central warehouse at Helena, Montana. Completed in 1936, this modern, fire-proof structure was designed to provide all latest improvements in the storing and handling of liquors.

Shipments to the retail stores are made via rail and truck

from the central warehouse.

STORES

The Liquor Act of 1933 provided for the operation of a state liquor store in the county seat of each of the 56 Montana counties. It was found necessary to open many other stores in logical locations in order to properly take care of requirements of the public. At present there are 142 state-owned liquor stores.

LICENSING

Liquor as well as beer licenses are issued only upon proper application accompanied by the correct fee and after each application has been properly investigated by the Enforcement Division.

Transfers of licenses may be made upon approval by the Board.

ENFORCEMENT

A chief inspector and eight deputies handle all matters of law enforcement in cooperation with local authorities.

RECAPITULATION OF ALL LIQUOR, LIQUOR LICENSE AND BEER REVENUE

December 24, 1933 through December 31, 1944

LIQU	OR	DEP	ARTMENT
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Sales—Liquor\$72,947,608.94

Cost of Liquor Sold 50,275,933.89

 Gross Profit
 \$22,671,675.05

 Permit Sales
 517,389.80

 Discount Earned
 758,615.91

 Other Income
 49,702.59

\$23,997,383.35 Less Total Expense 7,336,193.29

Net Profit-

Liquor Department..

\$16,661,190.06

LIQUOR LICENSE DEPARTMENT

Liquor Licenses\$ 2,831,100.00

Total Receipts \$ 2,831,100.00 Less Total Expense \$ 37,517.68

Net Profit—Liquor License Department

\$ 2,793,582.32

BEER DEPARTMENT

Net Receipts from State Bd. Equalization for period Jan. 1, 1937 thru Feb. 28,

Total Receipts Less Total Expense \$ 4,440,828.18 130,706.97

Less Surplus-1944 ..

\$ 4,310,121.21 5,027.29

Net Profit— Beer Department....

\$ 4,305,093.92

NET PROFIT

\$23,759,866.30

RECAPITULATION OF ALL LIQUOR, LIQUOR LICENSE AND BEER REVENUE

For Years 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944

LIQUOR DEPARTMENT				
	1941	1942	1943	1944
Liquor Sales\$6,	543,386.17	\$8,479,193.28	\$9,672,902.23	\$10,937,411.55
Cost of Liquor Sold 4,	423,310.01	5,900,928.35	7,069,759.26	8,413,976.71
Gross Profit—Liquor 2,	120,076.16	2,578,264.93	2,603,142.97	2,523,434.84
Permit Sales	26,917.00	25,701.50	60,967.00	68,218.25
Discount Earned	85,593.35	108,928.10	89,002.61	35,838.48
Other Income	1,890.05	7,076.24	7,837.61	2,921.80
Gross Operating Profit 2, Less Total Expense	,234,476.56 704,102.08	2,719,970.77 $725,498.16$	2,760,950.19 715,499.52	2,630,413.37 777,803.53
Less Total Expense	104,102.08	720,490.10	710,499.02	
Total Net Profit—				
Liquor Department 1,	,530,374.48	1,994,472.61	2,045,450.67	1,852,609.84
LIQUOR LICENSE DEPA	RTMENT			
Surplus from prev. yr.	15,547.45	20,898.70	27,992.29	
Liquor Licenses	333,350.00	324,900.00	330,800.00	511,200.00
Total Receipts	348,897.45	345,798.70	358,792.29	511,200.00
Less Total Expense	8,133.75	2,943.22	1,793.16	
Net Profit—				
Liquor Licenses	340,763.70	342,855.48	356,999.13	511,200.00
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BEER DEPARTMENT				
Surplus from prev. yr.	3,393.22	5,392.05	4,845.95	5,034.11
Beer Licenses	288,250.00	272,185.00	243,875.00	370,015.00
Beer Tax	232,047.86	224,739.42	239,157.61	268,063.08
Total Receipts	523,691.08	502,316.47	487,878.56	643,112.19
Less Total Expense	1,599.03	1,463.26	1,357.08	,
Net Profit—	522,092.05	500 052 21	100 501 10	642 112 10
Beer Department	522,092.05	500,853.21	486,521.48	643,112.19
Net Profit\$2,	,393,230.23	\$2,838,181.30	\$2,888,971.28	\$3,006,922.03
EXCISE TAX—8% on Sales Collected and				
Remitted to State				
Treasurer — Not in- cluded in above				
figures\$	573,999,45	\$ 737,320.28	\$ 781,107.43	\$ 951,172.34
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COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET For Years 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944

ASSETS	1941	1942	1943	1944
Cash—State Treasurer Operating Acc't &				
Revolving Fund\$	24,126.43	\$ 55,380.16	\$1,376,380.92	\$ 240,188.94
Petty Cash Funds	3,115.00	3,190.00	3,190.00	3,215.00
_	27,241.43	58,570.16	1,379,570.92	243,403.94
Capital:	21,212,10	30,010.20	2,010,010102	210,100.01
Building	151,471.68	146,981.14	141,850.98	147,985.99
Mach'ry & Appliances Furniture & Fixtures	10,376.44 8,394.37	9,084.84 12,143.11	7,337.86 9,317.45	6,895.98 7.964.53
- Furniture & Fixtures	0,001.01	12,140.11	5,517.45	
	170,242.49	168,209.09	158,506.29	162,846.50
Inventory-Merchandise:				
Stores Warehouse	514,052.10 503,785.63	580,150.73 894,897.68	316,995.67 723,825.11	881,084.63 3,822,787.30
M.L.L.D. Association	000,100.00	004,001.00	120,020.11	0,022,101.00
Warehouse				698.32
Stores				194.88
	1,017,837.73	1,475,048.41	1,040,820.78	4,704,765.13
Prepaid Expenses:				
Licenses & Taxes	3,547.49	3,643.80	3,182.39	3,121.26
General Supplies	5,193.98	3,321.89	3,909.10	4,695.73
Sundry Office Supplies Warehouse Supplies	531.72 822.25	669.07 796.15	1,008.25 717.76	1,800.94 694.63
Postage	234.57	378.54	414.98	541.53
Official Bonds	390.80	2,103.85	1,488.17	284.39
Insurance	2,211.24	9,014.21	11,024.85	12,821.93
Loss from Robberies— (Suspense)	5,455.76	4,379.75	32.05	100.00
Due from Vendors	655.63	985.70	232.52	345.54
Due from Distillers	1,077.92	875.48	145.30	1,850.64
Railway Claims	2,662.35	4,581.87	2,405.89	7,097.04
Claims Receivable				117.81 11,669.54
U. S. Customs Service				140.00
U. S. Internal Revenue				15,858.37
TOTAL ASSETS\$	1,238,105.36	\$1,732.577.97	\$2,603,459.25	\$5,172,154.92
LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable:				
M.L.L.D. Association			28,519.08	1,498.22
Accounts payable General	′			1,357,698.38
SURPLUS				_,,
Surplus—Dec. 31,				
previous	1,107,730.88	1,238,105.36	1,729,489.50	2,572,089.17
Profit through December 31	1,530,374.48	1,994,472.61	2,045,450.67	1,852,609.84
	2,638,105.36	3,232,577.97	3,803,459.25	5,783,895.61
Less Distribution to	1 400 000 00	1 500 000 00		
State Treasurer	1,400,000.00	1,500,000.00	1,200,000.00	611,740.69
TOTAL SURPLUS AND LIABILITIES\$	1,238,105.36	\$1,732,577.97	\$2,603,459.25	\$5,172,154.92

PETTY CASH FUNDS—IN VARIOUS STORES

For use in payment of small bills, money orders, et eetera and for change

Store No		Store 1	٧o.
Office"O"	\$100.00	Chester 35	\$ 50.00
Helena 1	50.00	White Sulphur Spgs. 36	50.00
Butte 2	100.00	Hardin 37	50.00
Billings 5	100.00	Harlowton 38	50.00
Libby 6	50.00	Baker 42	50.00
Thompson Falls 7	50.00	Roundup 44	50.00
Livingston 8	50.00	Cut Bank 45	50.00
Bozeman9	50.00	Circle 47	15.00
Deer Lodge 11	50.00	Townsend 49	25.00
Kalispell 12	50.00	Sidney 50	50.00
Miles City 13	50.00	Scobey 51	50.00
Anaconda 14	100.00	Wolf Point 52	50.00
Lewistown 15	50.00	Plentywood 53	50.00
Columbus 16	50.00	Polson 54	50.00
Big Timber 17	50.00	Gardiner 58	25.00
Hamilton 18	50.00	Ennis 60	25.00
Glendive 21	50.00	Belt 63	50.00
Malta 22	50.00	Whitefish 64	50.00
Forsyth 23	50.00	Laurel 65	75.00
Glasgow 24	100.00	East Helena 83	50.00
Philipsburg25	50.00	Fromberg 91	25.00
Havre 26	50.00	Harlem 98	50.00
Red Lodge 27	50.00	Saco103	50.00
Chinook28	50.00	Whitehall104	25.00
Shelby 29	50.00	Sheridan105	25.00
Superior 30	50.00	Butte116	100.00
Fort Benton 31	50.00	Walkerville137	50.00
Dillon 32	75.00	Great Falls140	100.00
Conrad 33	50.00	Missoula171	100.00
Choteau34	50.00		
		Total	\$3,215.00

NET PROFITS FROM SALE OF LIQUOR AND LIQUOR PERMITS

Additional Revenue—Including Excise Tax, Liquor Licenses,
Beer Licenses and Beer Tax

Net Profits from the Sale of Liquor and Liquor Permits

1934	<u></u> \$	722,214.57
1935		1,134,386.56
1936		1,552,477.88
1937		1,688,731.78
1938		1,374,790.88
1939		1,364,445.13
1940		1,401,235.66
1941	***************************************	1,530,374.48
1942		1,994,472.61
1943		2,045,450.67
1944		1,852,609.84

\$16,661,190.06

Distribution of Liquor Profits—Revenue Derived from Excise Tax and Distribution of Profit from Liquor License and Beer Departments

	Distribution of Profits	Excise Tax	Beer Licenses and Taxes	Liquor Licenses
1934	 10,000.00	\$	\$	\$
1935	 1,000,000.00			
1936	 1,400,000.00			
1937	 1,405,000.00	375,425.50	524,806.91	245,450.00
1938	 1,500,521.70	428,924.30	495,000.00	279,600.00
1939	 1,508,979.34	479,001.80	493,000.00	299,990.00
1940	 1,305,000.00	519,987.66	660,000.00	465,615.00
1941	 1,400,000.00	573,999.45	516,700.00	319,865.00
1942	 1,500,000.00	737,320.28	496,021.56	314,863.19
1943	 1,200,000.00	781,107.43	481,487.37	356,999.13
1944	 611,740.69	951,172.34	638,078.08	511,200.00
	\$12,841,241.73	\$4,846,938.76	\$4,305,093.92	\$2,793,582.32

Total distribution since inception of the

Montana Liquor Control Board\$24,786,856.73

OPERATING STATEMENT — ALL DEPARTMENTS

For Years 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944

MONTANA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD

	1941	1942	1943	1944
Liquor Sales\$ Cost of Liquor Sold		\$8,479,193.28 5,900,928.35	\$9,672,902.23 7,069,759.26	\$10,937,411.55 8,413,976.71
Gross Profit— Liquor Sales	2,120,076.16	2,578,264.93	2,603,142.97	2,523,434.84
Permit Sales Discount Earned Other Income	26,917.00 85,593.35 1,890.05	25,701.50 108,928.10 7,076.24	60,967.00 89,002.61 7,837.61	68,218.25 35,838.48 2,921.80
Gross Profit on Operations\$	2,234,476.56	\$2,719,970.77	\$2,760,950.19	\$2,630,413.37
LIQUOR LICENSE DEPA	RTMENT			
Surplus from prev. yr. Liquor Licenses Issued	15,547.45 333,350.00	20,898.70 324,900.00	27,992.29 330,800.00	511,200.00
Total Receipts\$	348,897.45	\$ 345,798.70	\$ 358,792.29	\$ 511,200.00
BEER DEPARTMENT				
Surplus from prev. yr. Beer Licenses Issued Beer Tax Collected	3,393.22 288,250.00 232,047.86	5,392.05 272,185.00 224,739.42	4,845.95 243,875.00 239,157.61	5,034.11 370,015.00 268,063.08
Total Receipts\$ Total Gross Profit and Receipts\$		\$ 502,316.47 \$3,568,085.94	\$ 487,878.56 \$3,607,621.04	\$ 643,112.19 \$3,784,725.56
OPERATING EXPENSES	3,101,000.03	\$3,000,000.54	\$5,001,021.04	\$3,104,120.00
Licenses & Taxes	7.223.42	8,361.85	6.795.58	6.303.63
Sal's. & Commissions	499,400.74	487,959.99	481,062.07	507,827.96
Rent Light, Water, Fuel	34,694.00 8,094.22	38,113.15 8,138.73	41,903.00 7,955.75	43,982.19 8,530.28
Telephone & Tel	3,353.03	4,320.47	3,923.18	4,621.23
Gen. Sup. & Exp	23,562.46	23,091.12	22,642.27	30,513.94
Postage	4,673.75	4,194.64	4,399.57	4,756.41
Freight & Drayage	94,454.98	102,977.82	95,550.44	98,329.02
Travel Expense	13,617.57	22,224.32	23,995.35	29,281.17
Official Bonds	1,439.14	1,356.32	1,162.33	1,264.45
Insurance	6,901.97	7,470.82	11,243.83	20,085.59
Industrial Acc. Ins	2,008.41	4,240.50	4,371.70	4,356.83
Legal Expense		706.02	103.40	1,190.56
Repairs & Deprec	11,767.52	15,395.91	12,433.44	12,579.54
Breakage & Shortage	2,643.65	1,352.98	1,107.85	4,180.73
Total Operating Exp\$	713,834.86	\$ 729,904.64	\$ 718,649.76	\$ 777,803.53
NET PROFIT\$	2,393,230.23	\$2,838,181.30	\$2,888,971.28	\$3,006,922.03
Increase in Profit over previous year\$	203,650.69	\$ 444,951.07	\$ 50,789.98	\$ 117,950.75

BEER DEPARTMENT — OPERATING STATEMENT For Years 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944

Pagainta	1941		1942		1943	1944
Receipts: Surplus—prev. year\$ Beer Licenses Beer Taxes	3,393.22 288,250.00 232,047.86	\$	5,392.05 272,185.00 224,739.42	\$	4,845.95 243,875.00 239,157.61	\$ 5,034.11 370,015.00 268,063.08
Gross Receipts\$	523,691.08	\$	502,316.47	\$	487,878.56	\$ 643,112.19
Expenses:						
Salaries	1,237.33 348.50		958.34 342.22 153.50 .80		890.20 193.43 264.00	
Depreciation	12.64		8.40		8.51	6.82
Total Expense	1,599.03	_	1,463.26		1,357.08	6.82
Net Receipts for Distribution	522,092.05		500,853.21		486,521.48	. 643,105.37
State Treasurer	516,700.00		496,021.56		481,487.37	638,078.08
Net Surplus\$	5,392.05	\$	4,831.65	\$	5,034.11	\$ 5,027.29
BEER DEI	PARTEMEN	٧T	- BALAN	ICI	E SHEET	
	1941		1942		1943	1944
Assets:						
Cash—Beer Act Fund\$ Furniture & Fixtures	5,350.03 4.49	\$	4,798.03 3.59	\$	5,000.00 10.08	\$ 5,000.00 8.06
Machinery & App	37.53		30.03		24.03	19.23
Total Assets\$	5,392.05	\$	4,831.65	\$	5,034.11	\$ 5,027.29
Surplus and Liabilities:						
Surplus—Dec. 31\$	5,392.05	\$	4,831.65	\$	5,034.11	\$ 5,027.29

LIQUOR LICENSE DEPARTMENT — OPERATING STATEMENT For Years 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944

	1941	1942	1943	1944
Receipts:				
Surplus—prev. year\$ Liquor Licenses	15,547.45 333,350.00	\$ 20,898.70 324,900.00	\$ 27,992.29 330,800.00	\$ 511,200.00
Total Receipts	348,897.45	345,798.70	358,792.29	511,200.00
Expenses:				
Salaries Travel Expense	6,016.64 1,023.40	1,058.65	683.34	
General Sup. & Exp	703.80	983.16	803.15	
Postage	375.00	193.00	202.50	
Industrial Acc. Ins	14.91	2.39	.77	
Legal Expense		706.02	103.40	
Total Expense	8,133.75	2,943.22	1,793.16	
Net Receipts for Dist	340,763.70	342,855.48	356,999.13	511,200.00
Less Distribution by State Treasurer	319,865.00	314,863.19	356,999.13	511,200.00
Net Surplus\$	20,898.70	\$ 27,992.29		

TAX PAID BY MONTANA BREWERS AND WHOLESALE BEER DEALERS

(Tax \$1.00 per Barrel of 31 Gallons)

	1941		1942		1943		1944		Total
Great Falls Breweries, Inc\$	53,416.62	649	53,030.45	€9-	56,989.86	69	62,782.15	69	\$ 226,219.08
Missoula Brewing Company	27,556.16		27,349.28		30,252.28		35,974.13		121,131.85
Butte Brewing Company	25,589.41		24,630.64		28,963.09		30,062.67		109,245.81
Kessler Brewing Company	23,397.88		23,799.25		27,627.75		28,341.50		103,166.38
Billings Brewing Company	9,866.27		9,753.78		11,165.28		11,749.50		42,534.83
Anaconda Brewing Company	9,392.01		9,266.01		11,338.40		13,098.66		43,095.08
The Volk Brewery	4,742.00		4,515.00		5,887.00		11,323.02		26,467.02
Kalispell Malting & Brewing Company	2,575.12		1,974.26		3,233.01		5,205.71		12,988.10
Total\$.\$ 156,535.47 \$ 154,318.67	\$ 12	54,318.67	69	\$ 175,456.67	89	\$ 198,537.34	69	\$ 684,848.15
Wholesale Beer Dealers	75,512.39		70,420.75		63,700.94		69,525.74		279,159.82
Total\$	\$ 232,047.86 \$ 224,739.42 \$ 239,157.61 \$ 268,063.08 \$ 964,007.97	89	24,739.42	89	39,157.61	89	268,063.08	€9-	964,007.97

CONDENSED — COMPARATIVE PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT OF STATE LIQUOR STORES

1943 and 1944

Store	3,212.68 5,689.03	21,251.11 32,758.72	29,329.15 89,726.89	18,590.15 36,869.28	1,101.25	434.84 2,008.92	1,392.58 13,362.03	4,131.62 9,868.16	279.60 1,066.21	1,971.99	8,376.73
Net Profit	5,566.28 \$ 15,014.32	136,602.98 101,396.06	133,912.98 123,007.62	127,806.61 138,623.62	8,214.97	3,548.00 2,730.57	29,336.18 35,814.53	29,115.61 31,889.84	2,044.07 1,808.64	17,308.24 15,849.02	38,754.45 37,022.04
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	703.15 \$ 2,714.51	37,788.12 36,189.59	44,991.62 47,329.99	35,274.21 41,852.86	3,734.02	1,887.27 2,095.88	11,517.51	9,549.50 11,073.89	1,393.17	7,567.96 8,549.65	11,263.96 14,407.28
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	19,503.33 \$ 63,364.25	477,421.18 434,275.91	480,418.68 534,403.60	432,602.38 581,684.82	31,041.66 36,761.81	13,964.48 16,374.48	110,119.03 159,023.07	103,318.83 138,926.00	9,302.21 10,408.83	64,506.56 81,049.41	129,669.62 174,616.98
Permit Sales	\$	3,807.25	3,563.50 3,450.00	3,589.00 4,506.50	351.75 440.00	164.50 179.25	1,114.25 1,170.25	1,298.50 1,459.50	102.00 125.50	633.00 731.75	1,099.50 1,426.00
Store No. Liquor Sales	25,772.76 \$ 81,093.08	648,005.03 568,367.81	655,759.78 701,291.21	592,094.20 757,654.80	42,638.90 47,401.47	19,235.25 21,021.68	149,858.47 207,220.76	140,685.44 180,430.23	12,637.45 13,570.07	88,749.76 104,716.33	178,588.53 224,620.30
Store No.	A &	1 1 1	2 2	2 2	9	2	∞ ∞	6	10	11 11	12 12
Location of Store	Helena Helena	Helena	Butte Butte	Billings Billings	Libby Libby	Thompson FallsThompson Falls	LivingstonLivingston	Bozeman Bozeman	HyshamHysham	Deer Lodge	Kalispell12
Year	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943

Store Inventory	2,626.18 10,516.33	5,621.29 32,043.01	4,193.72 7,503.00	5,526.03 8,198.30	2,219.60 5,339.40	1,217.31 5,742.98	621.69 2,233.30	452.53 1,420.06	4,650.22 9,278.60	1,090.75 $4,584.61$	2,444.52 5,927.44	5,092.72 11,547.39	1,821.95 2,545.74
Net Profit	35,877.59 30,899.82	81,284.74 78,453.42	38,810.96 36,854.81	19,779.87 13,489.49	$10,724.26 \\ 11,324.00$	13,260.51 12,506.87	3,064.67 3,138.99	3,555.29 3,063.10	21,117.76 22,939.53	13,046.26 15,526.98	13,589.92 13,571.50	29,040.54 · 24,437.26	7,371.65 6,291.66
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	12,562.20 13,552.73	25,669.87 28,843.33	10,827.73 11,926.59	5,553.90 5,380.84	4,132.51 4,683.09	6,692.61 7,125.90	2,504.77 2,720.63	1,837.72 1,993.59	7,958.50 9,092.03	6,254.10 6,568.43	5,126.59 5,742.16	10,173.63 10,557.63	3,650.75 3,975.21
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	126,913.68 147,182.66	284,806.40 343,606.60	$129, 708.52 \\ 155, 390.84$	69,644.79 57,683.21	39,327.19 50,720.20	51,545.34 63,938.48	14,575.98 19,481.90	$13,750.12\\17,056.48$	77,475.05 102,499.94	50,088.18 72,048.92	49,178.30 62,989.83	103,096.07 110,623.50	29,207.09 33,026.98
Permit Sales	$1,064.50\\1,205.00$	2,144.50 2,236.00	1,211.00 1,177.50	360.50 330.25	343.50 438.75	589.00 642.00	143.00 187.50	178.00 192.25	623.00 770.50	391.75 609.00	471.75 600.00	999.25 829.00	240.25 243.50
Liquor Sales	$174,288.97\\190,430.21$	389,616.51 448,667.35	$\frac{178,136.21}{202,994.74}$	94,618.06 76,223.29	53,840.46 66,288.54	70,909.46 82,928.61	20,002.42 $25,154.02$	18,965.13 21,920.92	$105,928.31\\133,761.00$	68,996.79 93,535.33	67,423.06 81,703.49	141,310.99 144,789.39	39,989.24 43,050.35
e Store No.	13	14	15	Columbus 16 Columbus 16	17	18	Wibaux 19 Wibaux 19	Terry 20 Ferry 20	21 21 21	Malta	Forsyth 23 Forsyth 23	24	25
Location of Store	Miles City . Miles City .	Anaconda Anaconda	Lewistown .	Columbus	Big Timber Big Timber	Hamilton	Wibaux	Terry Terry	Glendive	Malta Malta	Forsyth Forsyth	Glasgow Glasgow	Philipsburg Philipsburg
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store	3,417.40	3,669.90	3,368.69 5,024.83	2,319.48 6,037.55	971.77	86.21	3,002.41	1,679.17	2,481.00	684.99 3,739.16	2,002.80	5,135.20 6,737.06	705.42
Net Profit	39,516.98 41,050.05	18,112.87 20,841.89	10,697.78	15,975.08 16,831.56	4,064.97	6,846.35 6,013.10	24,551.66	8,438.75	11,281.07	4,623.49	6,444.26 6,116.37	14,881.98 14,975.16	9,040.97
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	12,127.65 14,010.26	7,574.89	4,328.27 5,108.69	7,052.93	2,810.55 3,322.06	3,316.90 3,471.52	10,095.11 9,480.08	4,064.74	4,163.84 5,356.44	2,269.88 2,530.23	3,181.12 3,461.18	6,709.48	4,310.80
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	137,454.22 183,075.93	66,966.48 93,887.80	38,725.23 51,056.12	62,270.41 82,500.31	18,001.43 27,049.48	26,548.91 32,633.97	94,634.84 102,975.02	32,347.89 45,375.28	40,660.61 58,529.19	17,614.84 22,157.60	25,101.94 29,898.29	55,366.45 74,621.28	34,754.74 44,996.71
Permit Sales	1,139.00	557.00 695.00	427.50 503.00	569.00 756.00	182.50 197.75	278.50 271.00	840.75 849.00	353.00 375.25	287.50 351.50	170.00 164.00	199.00 208.25	589.50 718.50	326.00 351.00
Liquor Sales	187,959.85 236,612.74	92,097.24 122,795.37	53,323.78 66,207.57	84,729.42 106,449.98	24,694.45 34,881.10	36,433.66 41,847.59	128,440.86 134,014.78	44,498.38 58,556.31	55,818.02 76,312.79	24,338.21 28,565.42	34,528.32 39,267.59	76,368.41 96,499.38	47,780.51 58,177.27
Store No.	26	27 27	28	29	30	31	32 32	33	34	35	r Springs 36 r Springs 36	37	3000
Location of Store	Havre Havre	Red LodgeRed Lodge	Chinook Chinook	Shelby Shelby	Superior Superior	Fort Benton . Fort Benton .	Dillon Dillon	Conrad	Choteau	Chester	White Sulphur Springs	Hardin	Harlowton Harlowton
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943

Store Inventory	476.51 1,191.79	83.33 1,716.97	1,302.94 3,729.34	1,131.45 $4,026.68$	1,223.55	2,194.87 6,093.99	2,876.19 21,374.05	1,402.18 3,660.06	1,877.15	646.32 1,509.56	966.88 3,811.47	1,679.84 4,319.13	1,030.49 2,083.99
Net Profit	1,949.33 2,067.63	2,591.41 3,008.66	3,655.40 3,293.60	6,117.10 $5,328.84$	2,240.04 2,351.39	12,140.74 16,316.70	38,322.92 32,505.24	3,931.79 4,682.26	6,115.26 8,047.68	2,975.73 2,853.32	6,865.04 6,527.01	12,697.35 14,549.15	6,489.73 7,200.64
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	1,302.05 1,487.05	1,779.13 $2,146.10$	2,708.98 2,775.54	3,222.13 3,341.65	1,680.12 1,930.50	6,025.78 7,356.02	11,835.41 13,567.55	2,403.32 2,881.87	3,007.13 3,552.86	1,673.40 1,842.95	3,503.43 3,805.76	4,808.43 5,841.57	3,724.96 4,389.11
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	8,300.51 12,078.82	11,053.16 17,216.61	$16,471.91 \\ 19,420.53$	23,899.60 27,287.01	$10,100.72\\14,266.13$	47,581.46 75,185.97	131,342.03 157,679.01	16,355.12 24,261.22	23,661.15 37,353.50	12,052.84 15,229.19	26,911.37 33,473.50	45,955.45 68,439.37	$26,271.59\\43,480.27$
Permit Sales	110.75 100.50	234.00 186.75	154.25 197.50	260.50 286.25	115.25 152.25	402,75 563.00	1,016.00 960.50	170.00 166.75	162.00 230.50	86.50 110.25	267.50 254.75	556.50 606.50	323.50 375.00
Liquor Sales	11,441.14 $15,533.00$	$15,189.70 \\ 22,184.62$	$22,682.04 \\ 25,292.17$	32,978.33 35,671.25	13,905.63 18,395.77	65,345.23 98,295.69	180,484.36 $202,791.30$	22,520.23 31,658.60	32,621.54 48,723.54	$16,615.47 \\ 19,815.21$	37,012.34 43,551.52	62,904.73 88,223.59	36,162.78 54,695.02
Store No.	39	40	41	42 42	43	44	4545	46	47	48	49	50	51
Location of Store	Winett	Broadus	Ekalaka Ekalaka	BakerBaker	Stanford	RoundupRoundup	Cut Bank	Jordan	Circle	RyegateRyegate	TownsendTownsend	SidneySidney	Scobey Scobey Scobey
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store Inventory	2,377.05 4,380.69	2,268.55	807.84 2,674.33	966.32 2,847.42	1,691.62 4,469.19	157.42 559.80	716.00	1,620.31 1,406.11	1,755.58 2,612.39	907.80 2,956.71	715.55	901.33	2,575.64 8,167.99
Net Profit	10,829.92 10,427.80	12,070.63 14,513.61	7,147.73 6,376.91	2,887.95	5,344.59 4,896.40	884.95 763.57	2,222.43 3,680.29	2,800.87 2,313.51	2,285.37 2,087.30	5,160.11 4,312.27	1,835.77 2,939.26	4,570.94 3,849.12	17,837.60 16,977.55
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	5,578.48 5,952.88	4,620.40 5,730.52	4,324.33	1,204.30	2,196.11 2,392.70	761.25 997.98	2,743.58 3,249.56	2,119.93 2,154.52	1,913.48 2,148.06	2,148.74 2,389.52	1,545.57 2,215.10	2,316.46 2,500.63	5,798.41 6,381.83
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	42,528.39 55,366.97	44,337.73 66,378.98	29,702.17 38,896.34	10,039.03 18,280.90	19,756.64 22,627.58	4,584.39 6,300.14	$13,008.01 \\ 21,881.98$	12,285.78 14,260.64	10,763.97 13,168.36	18,565.82 23,201.53	8,400.52 17,719.02	17,617.21 22,982.91	61,591.64
Permit Sales	336.50 434.50	338.00	237.00 263.25	63.00	98.25 112.50	51.50 69.75	99.50 169.00	239.50 223.50	138.50 156.25	224.00 228.75	150.50 175.50	169.75 210.50	558.50 637.50
Liquor Sales	58,600.29 71,313.15	60,690.76 86,218.61	40,937.23 49,792.84	14,068.28 23,940.47	27,199.09 29,804.18	6,179.09 7,991.94	17,874.52 28,642.83	16,967.08 18,505.17	14,824.32 17,247.47	25,650.67 29,674.57	11,631.36 22,697.88	24,334.86 29,122.16	84,669.15 99,865.75
Location of Store No.	Wolf Point 52 Wolf Point 52	Plentywood 53	Polson 54	Virginia City 55 Virginia City 55	Boulder 56 Boulder 56	Ovando 57	Gardiner 58	West Yellowstone 59 West Yellowstone 59	Ennis 60 Ennis 60	Hot Springs 61 Hot Springs 61	Belton 62 Belton 62	Belt 63 Belt 63	Whitefish 64 Whitefish 64
Year	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943

Store Inventory	3,978.88 7,971.29	419.48 973.16	$209.42 \\ 1,201.78$	402.83 2,839.83	581.13 1,278.59	1,339.41 4,500.48	764.54	1,247.57 2,583.20	454.39 3,181.93	136.60 1,457.86	234.49 1,736.60	449.27 1,090.82	272.17 2,333.07
Net Profit	11,754.55 14,067.46	$\substack{1,615.26\\1,362.71}$	1,171.20 1,078.47	5,176.24 $4,403.15$	2,694.01 2,317.52	6,002.44 5,703.53	2,844.49 2,929.92	4,893.10 $5,049.37$	3,195.40 $2,201.44$	3,622.80 2,533.13	2,308.84 2,658.11	2,368.36 2,462.98	2,593.94 2,108.53
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	5,376.00 6,300.48	1,217.08 1,399.18	869.64 966.95	2,752.76 3,009.58	2,138.64 2,437.36	3,046.16 3,261.39	1,553.97 1,767.99	2,461.21 2,913.11	2,056.21 2,193.80	2,103.40 2,294.89	1,713.06 1,911.88	1,519.86 1,716.27	1,832.25
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	44,675.21 65,552.86	7,935.38 8,561.99	5,466.65 6,238.33	20,610.19 25,461.46	$12,529.37\\16,499.02$	23,581.54 28,473.94	11,331.56 15,364.26	18,876.82 26,166.38	13,489.46 15,688.40	$14,387.97 \\ 16,892.94$	$10,591.95 \\ 14,527.03$	10,178.84 $13,451.47$	11,228.88 12,870.89
Permit Sales	455.75 575.50	70.00 75.25	28.50 34.50	166.75 164.75	$\frac{109.50}{154.75}$	252.00 308.50	121.00 143.00	192.00 221.50	126.00 143.50	140.25 133.50	75.00 90.25	129.75 140.75	112.00 91.25
Liquor Sales	61,350.01 85,345.30	10,697.72 11,248.63	7,478.99 8,249.25	28,372.44 32,709.44	$\frac{17,252.52}{21,099.15}$	32,378.14 $37,130.36$	$\frac{15,609.02}{19,919.17}$	26,039.13 33,907.36	18,615.07 19,940.14	$19,973.92 \\ 21,587.46$	14,538.85 19,006.77	13,937.31 17,489.97	15,543.07 16,819.64
Store No.	65 65	99	79	. 89	69	07	71	72 72	73	74	75 75	92	LL
Location of Store	Laurel Laurel	Martinsdale Martinsdale	Helmville Helmville	Drummond Drummond	Eureka Eureka	Troy Troy	Wisdom Wisdom	Three Forks Three Forks	Columbia Falls	St. Ignatius St. Ignatius	Bainville Bainville	Belgrade Belgrade	Twin Bridges Twin Bridges
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store	572.18 2,688.60	1,222.86 2,614.03	165.34 2,015.15	None 1,539.36	1,003.13	1,399.35	792.37 1,337.73	379.91 1,330.47	919,66	503.12	808.11 1,955.09	1,637.71 3,442.71	557.97 1,295.20
Net Profit	3,952.24	3,685.06	1,482.07	3,445.72 2,660.76	6,746.13	4,466.09	2,068.89	2,541.18 2,141.39	1,248.94	3,160.17 2,699.08	2,788.41 2,846.99	6,974.88 6,813.76	2,521.85 2,814.90
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	2,302.73 2,457.97	2,197.36 2,484.27	1,276.26	2,131.97 2,272.68	2,495.38 2,775.74	2,643.85 2,894.81	2,012.86 2,207.42	1,365.92	-1,097.22 1,209.88	1,751.97	1,680.48 1,902.30	3,476.68 3,805.06	2,031.57 2,281.99
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	15,879.71 20,238.29	14,417.90 20,063.95	7,429.25 10,986.57	14,191.06 16,617.99	24,012.55 24,736.97	18,420.87 21,144.71	10,461.60 14,042.53	9,946.35 11,825.31	5,714.10 8,983.26	12,925.35 14,738.69	11,299.81 15,694.59	27,322.30 33,369.19	11,780.07 16,432.34
Permit Sales	138.75 142.00	173.50	80.00 78.00	115.00	189.50 217.50	190.75 200.00	75.50 94.00	111.75	48.25 65.00	102.00 117.25	75.50 97.75	168.00 222.00	86.50 123.75
Liquor Sales	21,995.93 26,396.48	20,126.82 25,971.93	10,107.58 13,779.05	19,653.75 21,448.43	33,064.56 32,219.26	25,340.06 27,564.06	14,467.85 18,097.68	13,741.70 15,391.74	8,012.01 11,331.65	17,735.49 19,223.99	15,693.20 20,346.13	37,605.86 43,766.01	16,246.99 21,405.48
Store Store No.	78 78	Cascade 79	ass 80	81	Lima 82 Lima 82	East Helena	84	85	8 8 8 8 8 8	Culbertson 89 Culbertson 89	Lake 90 Lake 90	91	92
Location of Store	Valier Valier		Sweet Grass Sweet Grass	Augusta Augusta			Arlee Arlee	Darby	Ashland Ashland		Medicine Lake Medicine Lake	Fromberg .	Froid
Year	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943

Store Inventory	326.96 1,072.00	Closed 1-8-43	313.58 2,113.30	161.07 939.99	848.34 2,112.99	3,582.39 3,969.68	162.38 710.79	1,136.92 3,126.42	1,042.41 $2,492.29$	771.49	441.36 1,666.77	1,272.62 2,835.79	1,127.18 3,358.99
Net Profit	1,845.20 1,800.43	25.98	3,172.57 2,906.32	2,922.85 2,872.67	5,371.26 4,391.33	6,445.61 6,953.51	3,821.05 3,115.20	5,237.27 4,939.62	6,793.95 5,140.80	929.37 1,032.94	3,160.59 $2,692.44$	7,041.43 6,555.58	3,388.96 3,572.72
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	1,351.10 1,550.50	14.97	1,866.03 2,063.43	1,490.27 1,751.76	2,416.37 2,465.14	3,259.64 3,534.74	1,791.55 1,914.94	2,961.75 3,213.53	3,213.61 3,406.52	710.14 848.25	2,152.62 2,131.99	3,160.79 3,367.72	1,907.56 2,456.23
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	8,410.64 12,170.19	148.23	12,733.40 15,969.52	$11,283.54\\15,912.90$	19,980.20 22,313.89	$24,650.51 \\ 32,641.97$	14,000.93 15,351.65	20,978.32 28,089.43	25,352.57 $29,449.60$	4,098.30 6,131.68	13,954.08 15,565.08	25,930.74 30,210.12	14,008.78 19,124.15
Permit Sales	44.50 58.25	4.00	132.00 153.00	86.75 103.50	$\frac{189.00}{242.00}$	227.00 247.25	104.00 160.75	101.25 175.75	226.00 274.00	54.00 59.00	118.50 107.75	248.25 272.00	124.00 154.00
Liquor Sales	11,562.44 15,462.87	185.18 Closed 1-8-43	$17,640.00 \\ 20,786.27$	15,609.91 20,433.83	27,578.83 28,928.36	34,128.76 42,882.97	$19,509.53 \\ 20,221.04$	29,076.09 36,066.83	35,134.13 37,722.92	5,683.81 7,953.87	19,148.79 20,281.76	35,884.71 39,861.42	$19,181.30 \\ 24,999.10$
Store No.	93	94	95	96 96	76	96 98	66	100	101	102	103	104	105
Location of Store	Westby	Birney	Nashua Nashua	RicheyRichey	Big Sandy Big Sandy	Harlem	Stockett	Poplar	RonanRonan	Ingomar Ingomar	Saco	Whitehall	Sheridan Sheridan
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store	891.04	490.60 2,876.50	558.65 Closed 6-30-43	383.59 979.27	1,136.02	701.91	766.08 2,200.66	19,546.02 76,939.97	307.89	995.45	257.39 777.97	29.16 1,314.80	375.84 2,723.81
Net Profit	1,853.67 2,361.82	4,897.75	558.65 CI	1,189.85	2,326.38 2,059.70	2,495.12 2,146.97	2,859.70 3,973.50	163,704.45 135,590.32	1,534.41	2,842.92 2,552.21	867.98 907.17	2,120.50 2,327.51	4,531.13
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	1,418.38	2,069.85 2,247.50	334.88	842.59 984.48	1,714.88	1,873.47	1,827.69 2,462.82	50,963.72 51,222.69	1,243.59	2,080.18 2,230.38	503.80 641.95	2,022.97 2,292.76	1,986.54 2,112.22
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	8,549.50 12,459.96	18,714.53 20,990.94	2,464.66	5,296.46 7,487.67	10,559.01 12,440.83	11,198.62 13,504.78	11,699.41 21,298.80	587,024.96 599,162.51	7,261.73 9,462.78	12,371.51 15,534.68	3,423.92 5,475.11	10,521.14 16,475.94	16,900.98 19,644.12
Permit Sales	50.50 102.50	160.25 156.00	25.25	66.00	120.50 129.75	95.00 124.00	189.00 228.00	3,316.75 3,445.00	76.75 99.25	140.00 179.25	62.25 67.50	175.00 170.50	136.00 166.50
Liquor Sales	11,771.05 16,390.01	25,521.88 27,372.30	3,332.94 Closed 6-30-43	7,262.90 9,673.51	14,479.77 16,319.09	15,472.21 17,507.67	16,197.80 27,507.12	798,376.38 782,530.52	9,962.98 12,386.22	17,154.61 20,138.02	4,733.45 6,956.73	14,489.61 20,925.71	23,262.65 25,027.14
Store No.	107	108	110	111	112	113	115	116	117	118	119	120	Manhattan 121 Manhattan 121
Location of Store	Dixon Dixon	Plains	Galata	Kevin Kevin	Lincoln Lincoln	Dutton Dutton	Stevensville . Stevensville .	Butte Butte	Wilsall	Ballantine Ballantine	Ismay	Fairview	Manhattan Manhattan
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943

Store Inventory	482.73 2,663.85	257.73 2,135.34	769.08 3,070.62	547.89 Closed 6-30-43	370.43 1,197.52	1,700.66 2,705.28	959.71 2,723.81	968.03 Closed 6-30-43	879.15 Closed 6-30-43	179.75 1,618.83	776.06 1,212.34	4,201.60 8,112.75	None 2,282.57
Net Profit	4,366.03	2,374.08 2,717.35	5,109.83 3,636.70	547.89 C	1,063.15 901.74	4,943.43 4,923.67	2,312.71 2,897.42	968.03 C	879.15 C	2,494.99 1,884.78	1,745.97 2,121.21	12,991.64 . 10,601.96	1,596.58 1,300.66
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	2,349.18 2,636.30	1,357.07 1,630.94	2,151.53 2,519.10	486.09	628.40 722.01	2,712.92 3,074.18	$2,103.76 \\ 2,446.81$	903.80	732.27	1,812.11	1,211.25 1,449.71	5,178.44 5,119.47	1,461.57 1,546.04
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	17,152.64 21,093.72	9,575.39 14,383.20	19,111.92 20,742.10	3,003.26	4,274.86 5,476.86	19,623.92 26,513.12	11,482.03 19,414.44	5,037.40	4,731.95	$\frac{11,061.97}{12,653.61}$	7,729.31	50,161.52 $50,532.94$	7,895.53 8,949.91
Permit Sales	137.25 132.00	79.00 113.00	124.50 185.00	25.00	55.50 60.25	177.50 148.25	79.00 111.25	42.25	36.00	93.00 98.00	62.50 87.00	$\frac{173.00}{217.50}$	70.50 74.00
Liquor Sales	23,730.60 27,437.19	13,227.54 18,618.49	26,248.78 26,712.90	4,012.24 Closed 6-30-43	5,910.91 7,040.36	27,102.77 34,362.72	15,819.50 24,647.42	6,866.98 Closed 6-30-43	6,307.37 Closed 6-30-43	15,276.07 16,425.76	10,624.03 14,541.59	68,158.60 66,036.87	10,883.18 11,722.61
Store No.	123	125	126 126	127 127	129	130	131	132	134	135	136	137	138
Location of Store	Hingham Hingham	Geraldine Geraldine	Sunburst Sunburst	Oilmont Oilmont	Noxon Noxon	Fairfield Fairfield	Dupuyer Dupuyer	Dodson Dodson	Pendroy	Denton Denton	Melstone Melstone	Walkerville	Alberton
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store	33,014.48 87,790.38	538.95	134.56 Closed 6-30-43	985.02 766.06	228.46 Closed 6-30-43	827.67 Closed 6-30-43	599.86	621.38 1,776.08	27.48	1,717.98	378.29	916.45	786.26
Net Profit	231,755.35 203,745.24	697.62	134.56 C	658.23 941.34	228.46 C	827.67 C	2,378.64 1,821.29	3,225.49	1,616.08	2,821.60	2,281.75 2,448.65	1,771.34 2,215.55	1,669.71
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	55,841.10 57,172.34	608.66	198.03	770.40	252.56	838.47	1,573.20 1,898.40	2,311.36 2,665.77	896.69 1,024.16	2,164.17 2,672.55	1,606.83	1,658.39 2,072.68	1,180.68
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	772,785.57 835,184.02	3,190.10 4,612.46	796.83	3,711.84 6,496.18	1,291.70	4,518.79	8,631.70 11,768.62	15,992.46 22,861.31	6,595.16 8,110.33	12,892.03 23,914.35	10,083.14 17,197.60	8,746.36 13,586.64	7,632.35
Permit Sales	7,712.50 9,306.00	90.50 139.00	19.25	36.00	19.00	38.50	48.50 62.50	101.75	58.50 58.50	95.00	90.00	65.50	26.00 67.50
Liquor Sales	1,052,669.52 1,086,795.60	4,405.88 5,955.76	1,110.17 Closed 6-30-43	5,104.47 8,550.54	1,753.72 Closed 6-30-43	6,146.43 Closed 6-30-43	12,535.04 15,425.81	21,427.56 28,933.72	9,049.43 10,705.88	17,782.80 31,324.99	13,881.72 21,493.79	12,110.59 17,765.87	10,456.74 13,278.56
Store Store No.	lls140	142	143	.y146 .y146	Range147	148	149	152	153	154	155	156	Furner
Location of Store	Great Falls Great Falls	Decker	Emigrant Emigrant	Cooke City	Grass Ra Grass Ra	Alder	Norris	Opheim .	Brady	Neihart Neihart	Flaxville Flaxville	Geyser Geyser	Turner
Year	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943 1944	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943	1943

Store Inventory	466.22 881.30	1,495.45 1,168.32	371.58 1,138.98	577.44 4,098.65	1,182.10 $1,159.81$	123.96 876.42	3,768.11 5,113.63	9,802.45 24,358.72	529.90 1,171.63
Net Profit	746.64 741.46	1,154.89 1,018.85	1,802.15	2,028.92 1,677.18	682.75 945.72	1,001.75 1,047.93	10,111.45 5,537.88	117,080.26 96,558.68	1,034.64 1,018.20
Operating and Central Office	487.40 632.28	1,300.59 $1,443.31$	746.56 800.77	2,032.71 2,179.91	472.81 637.64	884.63 1,357.39	3,519.08 3,119.67	32,937.89 34,43 6. 08	1,077.60 $1,237.86$
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	3,055.95 $4,351.82$	6,372.93 7,274.50	6,606.12 6,460.39	10,334.11 13,084.44	2,801.50 $4,790.82$	4,787.59 7,839.03	36,811.88 27,080.80	399,532.73 $431,185.06$	5,491.88 7,590.26
Permit Sales	45.00 60.50	77.50 104.00	64.50 84.50	86.50 98.00	45.00 71.00	73.50 87.50	274.00 169.50	3,736.50 4,281.75	61.25 62.00
Liquor Sales	4,244.49 5,665.06	8,750.91 9,632.66	9,090.33 8,562.85	$14,309.24 \\ 16,843.53$	3,912.06 6,303.18	6,600.47 10,156.85	50,168.41 35,568.85	$545,814.38 \\ 557,898.07$	7,542.87 9,784.32
f Store Store No.	158	159	160	161	163	od166 od166	tee	a171 a171	rk179 rk179
Location of Store	Roy Roy	Alzada	Winifred Winifred	Hobson Hobson	Grant .	Highwood Highwood	Absarokee Absarokee	Missoula Missoula	Big Fork Big Fork
Year	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944	1943 1944

Store	488.96	3-30-43	:-31-43	,995.67		279.51	
Sto		losed 6	osed12 Cr.	\$ 316		\$ 881,	
Net Profit	1,507.24	791.39 Closed 6-30-43	2,766.23Closed12-31-43 65.96—Cr.	\$1,948,610.45 \$ 316,995.67	\$2,045,450.67	\$1,813,849.56 38,760.28	\$1,852,609.84
Total Expense Operating and Central Office	841.40 1,088.68	534.35	1,825.30 65.96	\$ 715,449.52		\$ 777,803.53	
Cost of Mer- chandise Sold	6,125.80 8,331.90	3,585.53	11,571.23	\$7,069,759.26		\$8,413,976.71	
Permit Sales	66.75	25.00	82.50	60,967.00		68,218.25	
Store No. Liquor Sales	8,407.69 10,818.77	4,886.27 Closed 6-30-43	16,080.26 Closed 12-31-43	\$9,672,902.23 \$ 60,967.00 \$7,069,759.26 \$ 715,449.52 come		\$10,937,411.55 \$ 68,218.25 \$8,413,976.71 \$ 777,803.53 \$1,813,849.56 \$ 881,279.51 Income	
	180	Race Track181 Race Track181	Hughesville182 Hughesville182	Total \$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\		and Other 1	
Location of Store	HinsdaleHinsdale	Race Track	Hughesville Hughesville	Total Discount Ear		Total Discount Earned	
Year	1943	1943	1943	1943		1944	

CLASSIFICATION OF SALES BY CASES FOR YEAR — 1944

Classification			1	SIZES	1	1			
Whiskey—Bonded	Gallon	1/2 Gallon	Quart	Fifth	1/2-Fifth	Pint	1/2 Pint	Total Cases	Per Cent
American Bourbon American Rye Canadian Bourbon			405 75	4,613 865 729		1,712 627 277		6,730 $1,567$ $1,006$	
Total Bonded Whiskey			480	6,211		2,616		9,307	2.73
Whiskey—Straight: Bourbon Rye Total Straight Whiskey Total Straight & Bonded Whiskey			8,147 1,261 9,408 9,888	42,995 100 43,095 49,306		25,019 1,430 26,449 29,065		76,161 2,791 78,952 88,259	23.16 25.89
Whiskey—Blended: Straight Bourbon Rye Spirit Blend			9 2,471	19,949		4,572 470 14,398	286	24,530 470 91,273	
Total Blended Whiskey			2,480	94,067		19,440	286	116,273	34.10
Domestic Imported Imported Irish				653 3,156 54	62			653 3,218 54). Y
TOTAL MILITARES			19 960	5,805	70	10 HOR	200	0,920	61.10
Gin: Domestic Imported Special Field			12	67 7,140	3 6	25.22		69 7,152 866	
Total Gin and Gin Specialties			13	7,799	17	258		8,087	2.37
Brandy: Domestic Imported Miscellaneous Flavored			1,823	3,164 3,660 340	264	713	15	3,877 5,762 368	
Total Brandies			1,823	7,164	270	735	15	10,007	2.94

CLASSIFICATION OF SALES BY CASES FOR YEAR — 1944

Classification				SIZES					
CC	Gallon	Gallon 1/2 Gallon	Quart	Fifth	/2-Fifth	Pint	1/2 Pint	Total Cases Per Cent	Per Cent
Domestic			242	16,187	956	355		17,740	
Total Rum			242	16,203	926	356		17,757	5.20
Cordials: Domestic			17. 24.	2,410	276	180	12	2,922	.86
Other Spirits: Cocktails Vodka Alcohol Tequila	248		64	426 40 3,907		4		426 40 254 3,907	
Total Miscellaneous Spirits	248		2	4,373		4		4,627	1.36
TOTAL SPIRITS	248		14,492	185,185	1,581	50,038	313	251,857	73.87
Wines: Domestic Imported	5	3,493	594	52,286 18,132				56,375 18,132	
Total Wines	2	3,493	59.4	70,418				74,507	22.43
Miscellaneous Wines: Vermouth, Domestic Vermouth, Imported Champagne & Sparkling Wines. Miscellaneous—Bitters			534	606 65 640	24		43 31 ₂ -02.7	1,140 65 664 -oz./	
Miscellancous—Ale			3,724			8,843 12-oz.	2-oz.	12,567	
Total Miscellaneous			4,258	1,311	24	8,843	140	14,576	3.70
TOTAL CASE SALES—1944	250	3,492	19,344	256,91.	1,605	58,881	453	340,940	100.00





